

MAGPIE COSTUME STILL WORN IN PARIS



One of the prettiest of the summer tub gowns sent over from Paris is of white cotton crepe embroidered with black.

The inevitable ruffles about the neck are of plain white crepe with black buttonhole edges. The waist is a soft kimono of the embroidered material with plain white sleeves.

A black watered-ribbon sash is tied in the back.

Plain black hose and white slippers, a black hat and a black and white parasol complete this magpie costume.

PURE SONGS LIVE ON. VICIOUS ONES DIE, SAYS SINGER



Songs need not be coarse to appeal to people, asserts Mme. Johanna Gadski, who sings many songs as well as grand opera.

"Fine songs that are noble and sweet have a greater appeal than the coarse ones," she says.

"A song does not have to stoop to indecencies to satisfy the masses, for it is proven again and again that the pure songs live while the vicious ones die quickly."

SPINACH PATTIES

Boil spinach. Drain, chop fine. Allow to drain dry. Put a tablespoon of butter into sauce pan. When hot but not brown add two even tablespoons of flour. When smooth add chopped spinach. Salt and pepper to taste. Cook slowly five minutes. Butter muffin or pattie pans, press the spinach mixture firmly into these. Set in oven for ten minutes. Do not bake—just keep them hot. Turn out on platter and cover with rich white sauce. Slice the whites of hard-boiled eggs, place on top of each pattie. Rice the yolks over top and send to table hot.